

Table 13
DTC utilization by BADL, 2013- 2022

This table presents the dollar amount of DTC utilized by claimants broken down by BADL. The total amount of DTC utilized for each BADL is derived by multiplying both the "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11. For more information, please refer to the description of "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" in the "Description of DTC items" section of the explanatory notes.

Total Amount of DTC Utilized (\$)

BADL	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Vision	19,835,000	18,036,000	16,553,000	17,302,000	16,213,000	20,757,000	18,598,000	16,541,000	18,110,000	19,057,000
Walking	276,499,000	306,956,000	328,986,000	356,275,000	327,954,000	383,029,000	372,308,000	379,643,000	393,190,000	407,840,000
Speaking	54,980,000	60,146,000	60,170,000	70,809,000	65,752,000	85,654,000	84,717,000	81,819,000	92,863,000	112,694,000
Mental Functions	237,655,000	254,495,000	270,800,000	289,482,000	262,619,000	330,752,000	334,394,000	346,013,000	400,051,000	443,491,000
Hearing	26,875,000	28,508,000	28,033,000	29,678,000	25,505,000	29,080,000	27,384,000	28,261,000	33,244,000	36,855,000
Feeding	69,061,000	69,533,000	67,145,000	73,985,000	64,974,000	81,594,000	77,431,000	76,185,000	84,368,000	104,075,000
Dressing	137,257,000	149,187,000	154,871,000	164,283,000	145,837,000	174,609,000	169,561,000	170,452,000	182,663,000	205,001,000
Eliminating	71,791,000	75,469,000	77,755,000	88,178,000	80,393,000	103,828,000	98,521,000	101,655,000	109,887,000	123,927,000
Life-Sustaining Therapy	31,149,000	36,368,000	39,880,000	50,413,000	51,350,000	77,605,000	69,667,000	79,501,000	71,902,000	87,859,000
Cumulative	53,094,000	63,266,000	71,392,000	83,188,000	72,856,000	98,928,000	99,138,000	109,727,000	109,700,000	86,003,000
Total	978,196,000	1,061,964,000	1,115,585,000	1,223,594,000	1,113,453,000	1,385,837,000	1,351,719,000	1,389,795,000	1,495,979,000	1,626,801,000

Notes:

1. All amounts are rounded to the nearest thousand. The sum of the data may not add to the total, due to rounding.
2. Data on DTC utilization are as of December 31 of the respective calendar year and are subject to change.
3. Data on DTC utilization are from returns processed between January 1 and December 31 of the respective calendar year.
4. For data on DTC utilization, (re)assessments processed during the calendar year that did not result in a change to the DTC amount utilized were not counted in these estimates.
5. Total amount of DTC utilized refers to the dollar amount of federal tax savings as the result of an assessed DTC claim. This estimate does not include any additional savings achieved from provincial/territorial tax.
6. The total amount of DTC utilized for each BADL is derived by multiplying the "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11.